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A Remarkable Case.

A large proportion of the American people are to-day dying from the effects of Dyspepsia or disordered liver. The result of these diseases upon the masses of intelligent and valuable people is most alarming, making life actually a burden instead of a pleasant existence of enjoyment and usefulness as it ought to be. There is no good reason for this, if you will only throw aside prejudice and skepticism, take the advice of Druggists and your friends, and try one bottle of Green's August Flower. Your speedy relief is certain. Millions of bottles of this medicine have been given away to try its virtues, with satisfactory results in every case. You can buy a sample bottle for 10 cents to try. Three doses will relieve the worst case. Positively sold by all Druggists on the Western Continent. *

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DENTISTRY.—Dr. Cool calls attention te the beautiful alluminium-lined vulcanit-plates for upper and lower sets. The advantage of this work is that it is very thin, much stronger and lighter than the common plate usually worn; also, being a better conductor of heat and cold, it does not produce the iritation, sometimes caused by rubber or non-conducting substances. I make these sets for $35, something never before done, and guarantee my patrons that after once wearing one of them they will wear no other. The treatment of diseased teeth and fine operating I make a specialty. Teeth built up with pure gold to their natural contour; artificial crowns adjusted to roots in the best manner. Work of every description done anywhere I engage to do at the most reasonable prices *

Over 2,600,000 Now in Use.

The genuine Singer Sewing Machines can now be purchased on easy terms by monthly instalments, and cost but a trifle more than those of the most inferior and mushroom character. Our sales in 1877 alone amounted to 282,812, being a majority over all others. The records for 1878, when published, will show a yet greater increase. Regarding the merits of these machines the above undeniable facts speak for themselves. The machines can only be had through our office, the Singer Manufacturing Co.—J. H. MULLAN, Representative.—Office at Fawcett & Co.'s, Government street, Victoria, B. C. *

NOTICE.

A large lot of Men's and Boys' Ulsters to be sold very cheap at the Commission Store on Johnson street. Men sand boys' suits and gent's furnishing goods, hats, caps, boots and shoes, rubber coats, Cape-ann oilskin suits, heavy cloths and tweeds, waterproof cloth and Oregon flannels. The above goods will be sold at a very small advance on cost. Garments made to order at a low figure. *
A. GILMORE.

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superceded what used to be claimed as "superior to any other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort Street, and sold by all the principal dealers. *

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Paper ruled to any pattern. Tickets, Receipts, etc., numbered and perforated. Charts and maps mounted. The best classes of modern machinery employed. R. T. WILLIAMS, Government street, entrance through Messrs. Hibben & Co's store. *

HOME MANUFACTURE.—Mr. H. Wilson, Government street, offers for sale the new Albion Range and a variety of heating stoves manufactured at the Albion Foundry. The largest assortment in Victoria. *

SHIPS AND STEAMERS.

NOTICE.

BRITISH BARK ROVER OF THE SEAS, FROM LONDON

NEITHER CAPT. GAUDIN NOR THE UNDERsigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.
WELCH, RITHET & CO.
Victoria, March 4th, 1879. mh4

NOTICE.

BRITISH BARK ROVER OF THE SEAS, FROM LONDON

THE BARK ROVER OF THE SEAS, FROM London, will commence discharging at Messrs Welch, Rithet & Co.'s wharf this (Tuesday) morning.
Consignees are requested to call at the office of the undersigned, pay freight and receive orders for their goods. All goods left on the wharf after 5 p. m. of each day will be stored at the risk and expense of the owners thereof. WELCH, RITHET & CO.
Wharf street, March 4th, 1879. mh4

INFORMATION
FOR PASSAGE
TO JAPAN, CHINA, HONGKONG AND CALCUTTA, INDIA,
—BY THE—
OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
—ALSO—
FOR FERRIES AND LOCAL TRAINS BY THE C. P. R. R. SAN FRANCISCO.
Apply to C. S. WYLDE,
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FOR WRANGEL.
THE STEAMER
WILSON G. HUNT,
CAPT. JOHN IRVING,
Will leave Engelhardt & Co.'s Wharf
On THURSDAY, the 27th inst.
For Wrangel, calling at Nanaimo and Way Ports, if sufficient inducements are offered by Monday evening the 24th inst. For particulars apply at once to
MESSRS. ENGELHARDT & CO.,
fe22 Office, Wharf street.

FOR VICTORIA, WRANGEL & SITKA
THE MAIL STEAMSHIP
CALIFORNIA
CHARLES THORN, Master,
Will leave PORTLAND for VICTORIA
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28TH, 1879.
Will leave VICTORIA for WRANGEL and SITKA
ON OR ABOUT MONDAY, MARCH 3RD.
Returning will leave Victoria for Portland on or about the 10th.
For Freight or Passage apply to
J. P. GOODHUE, Agent.
Office at P. McQuade & Sons. ja21

NOTICE.
TO SHIP OWNERS AND CAPTAINS
THE POWERFUL STEAM TUG
BEAVER,
Fitted with two 36-inch Cylinders, having been thoroughly overhauled and fitted with new boilers and other improvements, making her one of the most powerful and economical Tugs on this coast, is now prepared to tow vessels in B. C. waters.
For further information apply on board to Captain J. D. Warren at Dickson-Campbell's wharf.
Or to HENRY SAUNDERS,
mh24dw Johnson street

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TO SHIPOWNERS AND CAPTAINS.
THE POWERFUL SCREW STEAM-TUG
"PILOT"
Will Tow Vessels in British Columbia waters at LOWEST RATES.
Apply to the Captain on board, or at the office of
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Victoria, 21st June, 1878. je22tf

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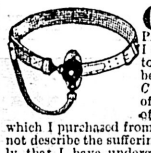

CALIFORNIA ELASTIC TRUSS CO., W. J. Horne' Proprietor--Dear Sir: I feel that I owe it to you and to humanity to write the fact that I have been *SUBSTANTIALLY CURED* of a bad case of rupture of thirty years' standing, by one of your incomparable Trusses, which I purchased from you three months ago. I cannot describe the suffering, both physically and mentally, that I have undergone during that period; and now I feel like a new being. I have worn all kinds of Trusses, both Steel and Elastic, and never received any permanent relief until I tried yours. Its simplicity of construction, and facility with which it can be adjusted, and the ease and perfect freedom to the motions of the body with which it can be worn without causing any irritation, are its chief merits, and it is a perfect supporter. I have not had any sign of a return of the rupture since the first day I put it on and feel that I am *PERFECTLY CURED*. It is invaluable, and the fact should be known to the world. You can refer anyone to me on the subject of its merits. I am truly yours, ALFRED J. BURKE,
Chief Mail Clerk S. F. Daily Evening Post.
San Francisco, July 20, 1878.
Send for Illustrated Catalogue and Price List.
CALIFORNIA ELASTIC TRUSS CO.
720 Market Street, San Francisco. oc4dw

SEEDS My CATALOGUE OF FIELD, GARDEN & FLOWER SEEDS, etc., etc., for 1877 is NOW READY, and will be mailed FREE to all intending purchasers.
WM. RENNIE, Toronto, Can.
I received the International Silver Medal at Paris (France), 1878. fe15 4wdw

LD. LOWENBERG,
REAL ESTATE AGENT
GOVERNMENT ST., NEAR CORNER OF BROUGHTON,
WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO selling, purchasing and leasing property; in negotiating loans and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.
Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at this office. Parties desirous of purchasing homesteads, or making investments, will find on his Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street, Farming or Gardening Land in every District, some of which affords rare chance for investment.
Money on hand and mortgage and in sums to suit the demands.
Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates. de1

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150 SLEDS!
OF SUPERIOR MAKE AND FINISH,
For miners going to Cassiar.
Miners will do well to buy their sleds at Fort Wrangel instead of bringing them from Victoria.
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NOTICES.

Insolvent Act of 1875 and Amending Acts.

In the matter of THOMAS NICHOLAS, an Insolvent.

THE CREDITORS ARE NOTIFIED THAT A meeting of the Creditors will be held at my Office, Wharf street, Victoria, on Thursday the 27th inst., at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to take into consideration the confirmation of a resolution passed at a meeting of Creditors held on the 29th day of January, 1879, instructing the Assignee to sell by public auction the equity of redemption of the above insolvent in the lands, goods and chattels, and other property mortgaged by one Samuel Frances and the said Insolvent to one R. D. Chandler.
C. T. DUPONT,
Official Assignee.
Victoria, February 13th, 1879. fe19

NOTICE.

THE POSTMASTER GENERAL HAS AUTHORized the detention for TEN DAYS of letters posted at the Victoria Post Office, UNPAID OR INSUFFICIENTLY PREPAID, so as to afford an opportunity for the completion of the required prepayment.
From this date a list of the addresses of all such letters, which will be revised daily, will be placed in the lobby of the Post Office for inspection.
R. WALLACE, Postmaster.
Post Office, Victoria, B.C., 17th Jan., 1879. ja18

NOTICE.

In the Estate of WILLIAM JONES, deceased.

CREDITORS ARE REQUESTED TO SEND IN their claims, and debtors to pay their accounts, forthwith, to Miss Eliza Jones, London Bazaar, Government street, Victoria, the Executrix appointed by the will of the deceased.
J. ROLAND HETT,
Solicitor for the Executrix.
Langley st., Victoria, 14th Jan., 1879. ja15

I. O. G. T.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LODGE No. 1, I. O. G. T meets every Friday Evening at 8 precisely at her Hall, Yates street.

Saint Andrew's Church Literary and Musical Entertainments.

THE COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT BEG TO give notice that owing to the crowded state of the hall at the entertainments for several nights past (a great number having been unable to gain admittance), and in order the better to secure the comfort of the audience, they have decided to charge during the remainder of the season a uniform rate of Twenty-five cents admission for Ladies as well as Gentlemen. Families of not over four persons, 50 cents. Children in arms will be excluded. fe7 1m

NOTICE.

I HAVE THIS DAY ASSOCIATED WITH ME IN business Mr. John McDowell, of Herald street, Contractor. The firm name and address will be
MALLANDAINE & McDOWELL,
ARCHITECTS,
Government street, a little below Fort.
EDWD. MALLANDAINE.
Victoria, B.C., 1st Jan., 1879. ja1

NOTICE.

THE PUBLIC ARE CAUTIONED AGAINST NEgotiating notes given by J. L. and Wm. CHADSEY in favor of D. W. MILLER, as I will not be responsible for their payment.
J. L. CHADSEY.
Sumas, Feb. 3d, 1879. fe4dw

Came to the Premises

OF THE UNDERSIGNED A BAY COLT, WITH two white feet and a star on the forehead. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying for this advertisement.
M. ROWLAND,
fe6dw Burnside, Victoria District.

NOTICE

Estate of David Kurtz, deceased.

CREDITORS ARE REQUESTED TO SEND IN their claims and debtors to pay their accounts forthwith to Mr. C. E. Redfern or Mr. T L. Briggs, Victoria, the executors of the deceased.
EDWIN JOHNSON,
Solicitor for the Executors.
Fort St Victoria 21st Jan., 1879. ja21dw

REMOVAL.

THE LADIES OF VICTORIA WILL FIND THE Misses DAVEY at their new apartments adjoining the Masonic Hall, where they are prepared to wait on them as usual. Entrance on Government street. ja22

PILOTAGE AUTHORITY NOTICE.

CONSEQUENT UPON AN INVESTIGATION BY the Pilot Commissioners for the District into the causes attending the stranding of the steamer "Empire" on Belle Chain Reef, at the entrance of Canoe Pass, on the 30th ultimo, whilst in pilot charge of Mr. John Ramsay, B. C. Pilot, the License of the said Pilot has been annulled.
The following persons having qualified as B. C. Pilots, have been granted Provisional Licenses for six months, subject to ratification before the expiration thereof, should conduct and ability warrant it, viz:—
George G. King - - - - Entire District
Donald Urquhart - - - - do
John Thompson - - Victoria and Esquimalt only as master of "Carolena."
The above appointments are made to fill vacancies caused by the resignation of Mr. Fred. Revely, suspension of Mr. James Ramsey and dismissal of Mr John Ramsay. By order of the Board.
EDGAR CROW BAKER, Secty.
5th Feb., 1879. fe6

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BURTON-ON-TRENT PALE ALE!
ON DRAUGHT,
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OFFICE ON KANE STREET, ABOVE DOUGLASS.
PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS CAREFULL prepared for Public Buildings or Private Residences, and the usual business of an Architect promptly executed 3m

CITY COAL AND WOOD DEPOT.
GASTON & ROBINSON BEG TO NOTIFY THEIR customers that they have removed their office from the corner of Bastion and Government streets to next door to Messrs. Denny & Spencer, where orders can be left. Orders may also be left at the following places:—
Messrs. FELL & Co., Fort street.
Mr. G. W. ANDERSON, Fort street.
M. J. GOSNELL, Douglas street.
Victoria, 24th August, 1878. au25

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FORT STREET,
The Cheapest House in town for
CANDIES AND FRUITS!
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No connection with the store next door. de24

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ONE OF THE LARGEST
—AND—
BEST SELECTED ASSORTMENT OF
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BOOT AND SHOE ESTABLISHMENT,
GOVERNMENT ST., OPP. THE POSTOFFICE, VICTORIA, B. C.
N. B.---All Goods Will be Sold at the Lowest Cash Prices.
GENTS' BOOTS MADE TO ORDER IN ALL THE VARIOUS TYLES.
BEST MATERIAL AND WORKMANSHIP.
CORK, SCOTCH, OR ANY OTHER KIND OF BOTTOMS.
Repairing Done with Neatness and Dispatch. Country Orders promptly tended to. de19

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HENRY SHORT,
GUN AND RIFLE MAKER
FORT STREET, OPPOSITE SCOTCH HOUSE,
Has Received from London direct, a Large Assortment of
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CENTRAL FIRE BREECH LOADERS,
FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY.
Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-Loaders, and a Full Assortment of Gun Tackle.
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FARM FOR SALE
ON SALT SPRING ISLAND.
A FARM OF 200 ACRES, WITH ABOUT 100 acres under fence, on Salt Spring Island, about one mile from the STEAMBOAT LANDING, Vesuvius Bay Settlement, together with a Dwelling House containing four rooms, Barns, Outhouses, good Orchard, and all the Farming Implements necessary for carrying on the farm. Also, about thirty head of stock, among which are some good MILCH COWS, will be sold with the premises if required. There is an abundance of good water on the premises, and only about one hundred yards from a BEAUTIFUL LAKE which contains plenty of trout. For particulars apply to H. F. HEISTERMAN,
Or to S. A. COPELAND. mh4dw

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SITUATED ON GOVERNMENT STREET.
FOR PARTICULARS ADDRESS
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To Let or To Lease.

A FINE NEW HOUSE ON THE CORNER OF Simcoe and Montreal streets, James Bay, containing Parlor, Diningroom, Five Bedrooms, Kitchen, Bathroom, Pantry, Woodshed, etc. A well of good water on the property, which consists of 3¼ acres of land under cultivation, including a young orchard.
For terms, &c., apply on the premises or to
ja22 W. G. CAMERON.

FOR SALE OR TO LEASE.

A SMALL FARM ON THE MOUNT TOLMIE cross-road, only one and a-half miles from Government street, containing 16 acres of land, partly under orchard and all cultivated. There is a good dwelling house and all necessary outbuildings.
The above property is now in possession of Mr. M. Finnerty and will be sold cheap to immediate purchasers. For particulars apply to
H. F. HEISTERMAN,
ja9 1m Land Agent, Langley St.

FOR SALE OR TO LEASE.
THE PARK HOTEL ON BEACON HILL--
Enquire on the Premises.

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A FARM ON THE NORTH END OF SALT Spring or Admiral Island, consisting of 160 Acres, 10 acres under fence of good cedar rails. The land is very good, and there is a two-roomed Cottage and a small orchard on the premises. The house is within 5 minutes' walk of the school-house.
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RENTS collected, Loans negotiated, and a General Agency Business transacted. jy10dw2p

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—PAID FOR—
FURS AND DEER SKINS.
REMOVAL—THE BUSINESS OF J. BOSCOWITZ has been removed to Rowland's two-story brick building on Johnson street, south side, between Waddington Alley and Wharf street.
u27 GEO. PAPPENBERGER, Man

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(SUCCESSOR TO GEO. THOMSON)
VANCOUVER BAKERY,
FORT STREET,
BREAD AND BISCUIT BAKER.
GOODS DELIVERED IN ANY PART OF THE City Free of Charge.
The patronage so liberally extended to my predecessor is respectfully solicited by the undersigned.
de10 JOSEPH HENLEY.

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SURGEON, &c.,
BACK OF MR. C. MORTON'S OFFICE, LANGLEY'S BUILDINGS, LANGLEY STREET.
MR. MATTHEWS HAVING LOST MOST OF HIS business books by the late fire in his office, is desirous of opening new ones, and would feel much obliged by his patients sending him a copy of his Christmas account, paid or unpaid, at their earliest convenience to enable him to do so correctly.
Langley street, Feb. 13, 1879. fe14

MR. HELMCKEN
MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE, VICtoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, and 5 in the evening. mh4

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THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS REPORT.

While we must compliment the Superintendent of Education upon the admirable temper with which he has thus far conducted his side of the discussion on public schools, we cannot bear the same testimony to his candor. It is greatly to be feared that when Mr. McKenzie forsook the straight and beaten paths of pedagogueism for the labyrinthine walks of politics he donned the Machiavellian mantle and turned his back on the principles and precepts he so long instilled with some signs of success into the minds of the young entrusted to his fostering care, for we observe with regret that in his letter published yesterday he has unfairly quoted extracts from the reports of his predecessor in palliation of certain of his own recommendations which we have assailed. We accused the Superintendent of making an insidious attack on the free school system when he suggested that the high school should be supported by fees from scholars. He replies by quoting a report of Mr. Jessop in which that gentleman broached the project of a high school and in which he stated that it is quite a "debatable point as to how far the property of all should be taxed to pay for the higher education of a few." But our correspondent foxily conceals the fact that the report of Mr. Jessop from which he quotes was submitted in 1874, *before* the high school had been established, and while its creation was still a "debatable point." The difference between Mr. Jessop and Mr. McKenzie would appear to be that where the former built up the latter seeks to pull down. Under Mr. Jessop's administration the high school was created *free* by Act of Parliament. What we complain of is that Mr. McKenzie after making a recommendation which, if adopted, would strike at the root of an established system endeavors to shield himself from censure by quoting from a report of his predecessor, which was submitted while the scheme of a high school was in an embryotic state, in such a way as to leave the impression that the report was submitted subsequent to the establishment of the high school instead of before. Mr. McKenzie next tries to excuse his proposition for a direct tax on property in aid of the schools by quoting from the same report (1874) of Mr. Jessop. Here the fox in the Superintendent's nature shows its "brush" once more, for he again neglects to state that the recommendation of Mr. Jessop for "direct or even local taxation for educational purposes" was fully met by the legislation of 1876, when the poll-tax of $3 was imposed. This poll-tax Mr. McKenzie proposes still to collect and then to send the Government Bashi-Bazouks through the country to glean what little may be left behind by the collectors of taxes imposed for other purposes. It will be borne in mind that Mr. McKenzie in his report proposes to entrust the appointment or dismissal of teachers to local trustee boards without the right of appeal to the Board of Education, as now. In a former article we opposed this innovation, giving authenticated instances wherein local jealousies and interests had been exerted to the serious injury of schools in the selection and dismissal of teachers by local boards. Mr. McKenzie, without pausing to defend his proposition on this point, and referring to his accusation against the Board of Education of "partiality" in the granting of certificates, says:

"The late members of the Board of Education are amply able to protect themselves and require no protector. Can as much be said of the several Boards of Trustees?"

From the above will be gathered the estimate which the Superintendent himself places on the relative abilities of the Board of Education and of the Boards of Trustees. In his opinion the Board of Education, whom he proposes to strip of the power of examining into the qualifications and merits of candidates for teacherships, are so "amply able to protect themselves" as to "require no protector;" and in the same breath he seriously calls in question the ability of the "several Boards of Trustees," whom he wishes to clothe with full power to select or discharge teachers, to protect themselves. Therefore, he proposes, like another Don Quixote, to rush to their assistance, being fully persuaded that they stand sorely in need of it. Whether the destinies of a school district would be safe in the hands of men who cannot successfully refute the arguments of a newspaper writer, we leave the reader to judge. We have a much higher opinion of Boards of Trustees than Mr. McKenzie would appear to have, and, indeed, we have never called in question their ability; but we have and do question the propriety of making candidates for the post of teacher run the gauntlet of local jealousies and interests in the midst of which their real qualifications would be lost sight of.

FIRE! FIRE!

Monday the 10th February. Clearing out sale at J. York's, Fort street, 3d door above Scotch House, of Dry Goods Damaged at the late fire on Government street. Also, a great reduction on goods saved in good condition, such as Ladies' Cloth Jackets, Ulsters, Girls' Costumes, Skirts, Shawls, etc., etc.

The people of Victoria will have an opportunity during the ensuing two weeks to purchase House-furnishing and Dress Goods cheap. A. B. Gray & Co. being about to erect a two story brick building where the Albion House now stands, have concluded to clear off their entire stock previous to the removal of the building. We direct attention to advertisement in another column.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

EUROPE.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 27.—The Grand Duke Wintcheslay, the youngest child of the Grand Duke Constantine, and a nephew of the Czar, is dead, aged 17.

Prince Krapotkine, Governor of Kharkoff, Russia, who was shot by an unknown assassin, has died of his wounds.

Southampton, Feb. 27.—The Ex-Empress Eugenie accompanied her son, Prince Louis Napoleon, to this port and witnessed his departure to-day for the seat of war in South Africa.

London, Feb. 22.—The Chinese government has purchased machinery and engaged experienced engineers and spinners in Germany to establish cotton mills in China, so as to free that country from dependence upon English and Russian imports.

London, Feb. 27.—In the House of Commmons to-night, Northcote, in submitting the supplementary credit for £1,500,000, which he proposes to obtain by exchequer bonds, said that he anticipated an excess of expenditure over the revenue of £3,000,000 sterling, £2,000,000 of which are provided for. A portion of the credit is to be used for the Transvaal war, and the balance for the Zulu war. The credit was adopted by the House without division. Although the House of Commons voted the credit asked for, considerable opposition was manifested to the Government's proceedings against the Zulus, especially by the Home Rulers. Chamberlain, Radical member for Birmingham, declared the war unjust and iniquitous.

London, Feb. 27.—A Vienna dispatch says:—Mention is made of a new Russian circular to the Powers, calling their attention to the Treaty of Berlin. In the circular, it is said, Russia suggests that the Powers devise means to obviate difficulties likely to arise from the clause permitting the Turks to occupy the Balkans.

Rome, Feb. 27.—The great storm Monday night was the most disastrous on the coast. At many ports small crafts were blown out to sea and lost. The new quay at Posilipho is almost entirely destroyed. In the interior the storm was equally violent. At Puaginolo, near Siena, the campanile of the church was blown down while the people were at mass, killing two priests at the altar and three other persons, and wounding twenty-four persons. A similar catastrophe occurred at Oantauro, where the vault of the church yielded to the force of the storm and killed a priest celebrating mass, and injured a number of the congregation. At Rome the force of the wind was unparalleled. All the windows of the monastery of Monicalle Crocé were destroyed, and a portion of the base of Michael Angelo's statue of David was swept off.

Rome, Feb. 27.—Twelve Cardinals are to be named at the Consistory at Easter. Dr. Newman was not offered a Cardinalate. Cardinal Guide, Bishop of Polestina, is very ill.

Paris, Feb. 27.—Of the forty-nine persons on board of the ship Adriatic, wrecked near Dunkirk, seven only are known to be saved.

London, Feb. 27.—A telegram from Dunkirk confirms the report that forty-two of the men on the ship Adriatic, when she broke up, were lost.

Paris, Feb. 27.—The *Rappel* says: Gambetta agrees with the Ministry in disapproving the impeachment of the DeBroglie Ministry.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 27.—The footman who was yesterday supposed to have been attacked with the plague, and who, with forty-eight of his associates, was isolated in consequence, proves to be afflicted with a very ordinary disease.

London, Feb. 28.—A dispatch from Vienna states that an avalanche near Marburg killed twenty-one persons and destroyed nine houses.

Berlin, Feb. 28.—The Princess Louisa Margaret, neice of the Emperor, last night gave her farewell reception previous to starting for England to wed Prince Arthur, Duke of Connaught. The wedding, postponed one month in consequence of the death of Princess Alice, will take place at Windsor on the 13th of March.

Vienna, Feb. 28.—The Russians have taken measures to frustrate the design of the Bulgarians to burn Adrianople.

Berlin, Feb. 24.—The Reichstag today commenced debate on the Budget. The President of the Imperial Chancellerie, Von Hoffman, stated that the deficit for the current year would be only $2,750,000, instead of $5,000,000, as estimated, and this would be covered by marticulatory contributions. The expenditure would be $1,250,000 less than for the previous year $1,000,000 of which would be saved on the army administration, but the receipts had decreased $3,500,000. It would be necessary, he said, to raise $25,250,000, and he pointed out that a resort to indirect taxes was indispensable.

EGYPT.

Paris, Feb. 18.—France has consented to act with England for the reinstatement of Nubar Pasha.

The Khedive's son, Prince Assan, Commander of the army, has publicly apologized to the English Consul for insults to Rivers Wilson, Minister of Finance, and Wilson has expressed his satisfaction with the apology.

CANADA.

Halifax, Feb. 23.—A fire yesterday at Summer City, Prince Edward's Island, during a fearful storm, burned a number of dwellings and stores.

Halifax, Feb. 21.—The heaviest snowstorm for five years commenced last night and continued all day. Drifts in some places are fifteen feet deep. Business is completely suspended in the city. Railways are blocked.

St John (N. B.), Feb. 24.—During a terrific storm yesterday, on Prince Edward Island, the Catholic Church at Cardigan road, the Presbyterian Church at Souris, and the railway sheds at Summerside, were all blown down. Other casualties are reported. Snow in the railway cuttings is said to be sixteen to twenty feet deep.

AFRICA.

London, Feb. 28.—Dispatches from Cape Town, February 21th, say that a Transvaal delegate told Governor Sir Bartle Frere that the people of Transvaal unanimously desire their independence. The Governor replied that it was impossible to grant this. It is reported that Transvaal is prepared to elect a President.

We understand that the Ivy Club of this city will give a grand ball on Tuesday, April 1st, at Pavilion Hall, Fort street, and as neither trouble nor expense will be spared we feel safe in saying this will be the ball of the season. A limited number of tickets may be had of the committee. *

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The Educational Question.

Victoria, March 4, 1879.

Editor Colonist:—Please permit me to call your attention to two or more paragraphs in the report of the Superintendent of Education just issued which, in the face of honest, intelligent and unprejudiced people, should not be allowed to pass unnoticed.

Full credits upon four or more mathematical or other papers, which upon examination were marked fifty per cent., mean an additional allowance of credits for questions upon which the candidates were not examined. This is something apparently new in British Columbia, and a deviation from an inflexible rule of the ex-Superintendent of Schools. It may not be wrong; it may rather be considered a step in the right direction. The error consists in this, if indeed there really is an error, viz., the want of giving equal privileges, at all times and in all places, to candidates for certificates. The ex-Superintendent—estimable in many ways—sternly ruled out of order a motion made at the examination and convention of teachers in 1877 which called for nothing like such a deviation from usage as did the one in 1878. Can those contradictory courses of action be reconciled? Are they fair and proper?

Will the late Superintendent and the Hon. the Board of Education allow those paragraphs to escape their notice without comment or explanation? Will the gentlemen of the Legislature, sitting very nearly if not altogether under oath, for the purpose of assisting to make just and equal laws without partiality and without fear for all classes, pass them by? And, finally, will not the eyes of those who hold the scales of justice stare intently at them, compare them with precedent and weigh them? Without a doubt they will meet with the scrutiny they demand and challenge.

It is known that one teacher at least, in the examination and convention of 1877, left out the paper on book-keeping because of the stubborness and too much assumption of power on the part of the Superintendent and thus lost two hundred or less credits, thereby reducing his standing from a first class to a second class certificate. Stubborness begat stubborness and there the matter ended for a time. The present Superintendent and other qualified teachers, however, know that this same individual understands and indeed has passed an examination in Double Entry. And, further, what should be done with the extra percentages in other subjects which the action of the convention of teachers in 1878 has given him a right to claim? Ten per cent. in book-keeping and at least the same per cent. in the aggregate of other studies, making a total of twenty or more per cent., should not and must not be lost. Anyway the loss of the percentage on book-keeping is a "thorn in the side" that creates continual pain; and the loss of percentages on other branches can, I trust, be safely left to arbitration by the Superintendent and teachers at the late examination.

Now comes the pressing question: Has the present Superintendent of Education the power, and is it his duty, to correct any acknowledged mistakes made by his predecessor? The Premier or the Speaker may slowly take up the subject and answer, Yes; Justice will no doubt answer Yes; and all impartial and humane people will answer and re-echo Yes.

Following are the paragraphs in question:

1. "The four mathematical papers were made the subject of a petition to the Board of Education, praying that body to allow full marks to all who had answered 50 per cent. of the papers in Arithmetic, Algebra, Euclid and Mensuration. It is probable that the prayer of this petition was granted, as in some instances certificates one grade higher than that really earned was granted. I may further remark in this connection that the questions in those papers are taken in great part from the authorized text books, and that they are of such a nature in all four as to show the acquaintance of candidates with what requires to be ordinarily taught in those subjects and nothing beyond."

2 "Mr. Jessop was presented with an address. The Government was petitioned not to make any change in the superintendency. The Board of Education was petitioned to allow full marks to all who had answered 50 per cent. of the papers in Algebra, Euclid, Mensuration and Arithmetic."

3. "The impression is also abroad among teachers that certificates have not been altogether impartially given and upon the merits of papers submitted by candidates, and I can as far as this year 1877-1878 is concerned certify to the correctness of this impression." Yours respectfully, TEACHER.
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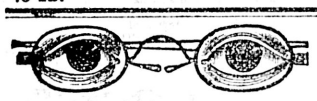

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Having decided on this course, we have already made partial arrangements for a

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SHEETINGS Bleached and Grey, single and double widths, at marvelous reductions.

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BLANKETS, Counterpanes, Quilted Bed Covers, Table Linens, Col'd. Table Covers, Damask Napkins. These goods marked specially low.

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Government St., 27th Feb., 1879.

Daily Colonist.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, MARCH 5TH, 1879.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

FOREIGN SHIPPING.

San Francisco, Feb. 25—Arrived—Ship Washington, Tacoma; bk P. J. Carleton, Nanaimo; bk Tidal Wave, Port Madison; bk David Hoadley, Port Gamble.

San Francisco, Feb. 26—Arrived—Ship Gov. Tilley, Nanaimo; ship Coquimbo, Port Blakely; bk Dublin, Seabeck; bk Aureola, Seattle.

Callao, Jan. 31—Arrived—Bk Arkwright, Pt Gamble.

Sydney, Dec. 23—Arrived—Br bk Lady Bowen, Seabeck. Jan. 10, C. R. bk Vittoria, Victoria.

San Francisco, Feb. 27 — Arrived — Bk Martha Rideout, Port Blakely; bk Roswell Sprague, Pt Gamble.

London, Feb. 13—Arrived—Br bk Lady Head, Victoria.

London, Feb. 23—In port—Br ship Royal Sovereign, San Francisco.

MEMORANDA.

The Pacific Mail S.S. Co.'s stmr City of Chester, P. Mackie, Commander, sailed from San Francisco March 1st, at noon, having on board 2751 pkgs mdse, 55 passengers, 45 pkgs mails and 1 pkg treasure, and arrived at Victoria March 4th at 3½ p. m.

PASSENGERS.

Per stmp City of Chester, fm San Francisco—Mrs. Neufelder, R. D. Chandler, wife and son, R. Byrnes, J. H. Blume, P. N. Compton, Jos. Russell, wife and 2 chdn, Jos. Letatine, wife and child, Jas. Johnson, Miss Ann Lettimor, Robert Gill, Jas. McDonald, J. Best, C. L. Queen, A. Potterley, W. B. Hazlewood, H. Michaud, Antonio Ancoy, Jos. Michaud, wife and 4 chdn, Z. Dumas, Jos. Sinton, Thos. Labelle, John Lawson, Wm. Thomas and daughter, John Jones, F. Evans and 7 Chinamen.

CONSIGNEES.

Per stmp City of Chester, fm San Francisco—A Gilmore, A B Gray & Co, J Spratt, B W Pearse, A & W Wilson, C A Lombard, Stahlschmidt & Ward, Cameron & Ross, D W Higgins, E B Marvin, F Eickhoff, F Norris, F Mansell & Co, G Bossi, Garner & Merz, Hy Mansell, H Rhodes & Co, H M Cowper, Jas Abrams, J Wren, J Wise, Jas Ellard & Co, Jas Crossen, J Sehl, J Cunningham, J P Davies & Co, J Russell, James A. Raymur, Capt John Irving, Lewis Lewis, L Blum, L Gold, Lohse & Co, Mansell & Holroyd, M W Waitt & Co, Matthews, Richards & Tye, Mrs E Levy, Moore & Co, Maynard & Tubbs, P T Johnson & Co, P McTiernan, P McQuade & Son, Rev John Reid, R Carr, S J Pitts, R Maynard, J Rueff & Co, T Shotbolt, Turner, Beeton & Co, Thornton Fell, T N Hibben & Co, Wm. Heathorn, Wells, Fargo & Co.

Per str Isabel, fm Port Townsend—RB & Son, HS, L M Starr, GB, SG, C&R, McD, Levy, JEP, J Parker, G&M, C C Perkins, Switzer.

The President Vetoes the Chinese Bill!

[From our Special Correspondent.]

WASHINGTON, March 1st.

The President sent a long message to Congress to-day vetoing the Chinese Bill. He takes the ground that the Bill is opposed to treaty rights and to human progress.

THIRD PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY.

Second Session.

TUESDAY, March 4th, 1879.

Mr. Speaker took the chair at 2.10 p.m.

Mr. Speaker read a message from His Honor the Lieut.-Governor laying before the House a Bill for regulating the printing and distribution of the Journals of the House.

The House then resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the message with Mr. E. Brown in the Chair, and reported the Bill to the House.

The Bill was read a first time, second reading on Thursday next.

REPORTS.

Mr. Smithe presented the second report of the Private Bill Committee, reporting an Act to amend the Victoria and Esquimalt Railway Bill and Nanaimo Fire Brigade Act.

Report ordered to be adopted.

TARIFF.

Mr. Smithe moved that the House resolve itself into Committee on the report of the Select Committee appointed to enquire into this matter.

The House then went into Committee with Mr. Gallagher in the Chair.

Mr. Mara said that in the absence of the chairman of the committee he thought it would be inadvisable to go on with the question.

The committee then rose and asked leave to sit again.

CONSTITUTION AMENDMENT BILL.

Hon Mr. Walkem moved the previous question, which was decided by a vote of 14 to 8 against the question of the second reading being put then.

The remaining bill on the orders of the day were dropped and the House adjourned at half-past 2 till 2 p.m. on Wednesday.

NOTICES OF MOTION.

Mr. Vernon, to move on Thursday next—That in the opinion of this House tenders should always be invited for supplies of all descriptions required for the maintenance of any public institution under the control of the Government, for the stationery required for the public service and for all insurances necessary to be effected on Provincial public buildings.

Mr. Vernon—To move that in the opinion of this House it is expedient that the Government shall, before the next meeting of the Provincial Parliament, take the necessary steps to assume the entire control and management of all public hospitals in the Province.

Mr. Vernon—That in the opinion of this House it is expedient when any sum of money for the prosecution of public works in any district is placed upon the estimates for the consideration of the House, it shall be necessary to designate as far as practicable for what particular work or works such sum is intended to be appropriated.

Canada Pacific Railway.

The contract for the remaining link of the Pacific Railway between Winnipeg and Thunder Bay was awarded Feb. 20. Morse, Nicholson & Marpole, of Toronto, received the contract for the western section of sixty-seven miles, and Marks & Conway, associated with Purcell, Ginty & Ryan, received the contract for the eastern section of 188 miles, the lowest tender being accepted in each case.

A FORGED ORDER.—On Monday afternoon Robert Tyndale went to the office of Dunsmuir & Diggle, No. 620 East street, and presented to the senior partner an order for $25, purporting to have been signed by W. N. Diggle. On the suspicion that the order was a forgery Tyndale was instructed to call again yesterday morning, which he did, when he was taken into custody by Detectives Jones and John Coffey and booked for forgery. *S. F. Chronicle, 1st.*

THE steamer Isabel arrived at 5:30 p. m. yesterday from the Sound with the mails, a number of passengers, 8,000 feet of lumber, 100 sheep for J. Parker, 540 sacks of flour, 542 sacks of feed and one horse for Mr. Switzer.

BANK OF B. N. A.—R. Byrnes, Esq., arrived from Montreal yesterday to assume the management of the Bank of British North America in this city.

CARLING'S BREWERY.—The loss by the destruction of Carling's brewery at London, Ont., was $300,000. The place was almost wholly destroyed.

To Amend the Land Act, 1875.

The Premier laid before the House on Monday a Bill to amend the Land Act, 1875. Settlers in default in the matter of purchase money for any pre-emption or claim, previously acquired, will be required to pay the same in four annual instalments of 25 per cent. each. In case of further default cancellation will follow. The free grant system is to be done away with and the price of $1 per acre charged for public lands, payable in four equal instalments of 25 per cent. each, the last instalment not to be payable until after the land shall have been surveyed. A section provides for the sale of public lands at the upset price of $1 per acre. The remainder of the Bill embodies certain regulations which have been in force at the Land Office for several years past.

Marine Casualties on the Sound.

By the steamer Isabel we learn that the storm of Sunday night and Monday last was severely felt all along the Sound. At Port Townsend the sloop Alexander dragged her anchor and went ashore. The bark Don Nicholas was towed into Port Angelos by the steamer Tacoma yesterday morning, having had all her sails carried away and her top-gallant masts gone. The steamer Teaser, carrying the mails between the Sound and Neah Bay, was blown ashore at Dungeness and will probably be a total loss. No lives lost. The Don Nicholas is laden with coal from Departure Bay for San Francisco and only left Departure Bay on Thursday night last. Several other small vessels were driven ashore at Port Townsend.

THE ELECTRIC LIGHT.—A French hairdresser has invented an ingenious plan, which he is now engaged in perfecting, for the application of the electric light to carriage lamps. A locomotive engine when in motion will, he maintains, under his system generate electricity sufficient to illuminate a railway train with the brilliancy of a meteor. Steamships, in like manner, will by their own machinery supply themselves with lights so powerful as to lessen materially the chances of collision even in the thickest of fogs. It is, moreover, not only railway trains and steam-vessels that will be lighted on the same principle. Ordinary carriages drawn by horses can be illuminated by means of electricity supplied by the rotary motion of their wheels. With the view of demonstrating this fact, the inventor intends, if he can obtain the requisite permission from the authorities, to try the experiment on the cabs of London, as being the darkest and dingiest city in Europe, and possessing the darkest and dingiest public vehicles. He maintains that, as with one horse-power the Jablochkoff candle gives a light equal to sixty-six gas jets, so with one cab-horse power his carriage lamp will transform even a "four-wheeler" when in motion into a dazzling and glorious object.

FOR WRANGEL.—The steamship California, Captain Thorn, left at 10 a. m. yesterday for Wrangel and Sitka with a good freight and a large number of passengers, amongst whom were the following: William Tod, George McCaulay, Andrew Tolmie, R. Silvester, H. Felker, Henry Christie, Mr. Humphrey, John Richards, Ned Bray, Peter Bertrand, Thomas Lefond, Joseph St. Lawrence, Joseph Baribeau, A. Choquette, Benheim, Merryfield, Andrew Donahue, James Walsh, James Hadegon, John Galvin, Dennis Lyons, Pat McDonell, James Whelan, John Douglas, John Calihan, Michael Hayes, N.H. Sylvis, Pat Kenny, William Larkin, T. Kenny, Thomas Barock, Peter Farrell, W. Laidlaw, James McIntree, T. Ardeen, H. M. Sheppard, James Dickinson, Chas Lefavour, Thos. McDermot, C. W. Baker, William Groig, G. Dougherty, E. Boure, O. DeLile, Charles Vader.

THE official examination into the condition of the Bank of Columbia has been completed by the Commissioners, at San Francisco, who submit the following satisfactory report:

ASSETS.

Banking house and lot	$ 70,465 80
Other real estate owned	6,000 00
Loans on real estate	10,308 06
Invested in stocks and bonds	79,542 42
Loans on stocks and bonds	479,552 88
Loans on personal security	293,996 66
Loans on other securities	93,654 33
Money on hand	405,608 22
Total	$1,439,128 43

LIABILITIES.

Due head office, London	$909,781 17
Due branches	183,127 20
Due depositors	288,927 41
Due banks and bankers	6,292 60
Total	$1,439,128 43

THE CORRECTOR CORRECTED.—The Government organ has made a terrible mull over the bridge disaster on the Metchosen road. In attempting to correct our paragraph of Sunday it denied that one of the rails of the structure had given way, affirming that the horses were baulky and backed into the stream after having crossed the bridge. Yesterday it acknowledged that the accident resulted from a weak rail, which gave way when the hub of the wagon came against it. Mr. Gleed's loss is very heavy, and it is thought the Government can be made to remunerate Mr. Gleed in something more substantial than soft sawder, which the Government organ applies so liberally to the unfortunate farmer.

THE "ROVER OF THE SEAS."—This fine bark was brought alongside the wharf of her consignees—Messrs. Welch, Rithet & Co.—yesterday by the steamer Alexander. The Rover has a tonnage of 424 and brings 700 tons of freight for this place. She is a trim looking vessel and the excellent condition in which she came into port from a long voyage is creditable alike to officers and crew. The powder was landed in the afternoon in as good a state as when it was placed on board the ship at the English port. Captain Gaudin may well be proud of his vessel.

THE steamer Olympia left at 8.45 a. m. yesterday for New Westminster with the mails and the following passengers: Miss Muirhead, Mrs. Black, Mrs. Mohun, and Messrs. J. Burns, James Orr, J. Puetz, D. Mills, F. Oldercott, E. Dickenson, T. Neelands, J. McGee, R. Ferguson and several others.

The steamer Maude left at 7 a. m. yesterday for Comox and way ports with the mails and the following passengers:—Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Antoine, Miss Borthwick, Messrs. R. Hetheridge, McKenzie, G. Keir, Ebberts, T. Davie, Read, C. L. Smith, E. Josephs and several others.

KOOTENAY SCANDAL.—It is said that the two Kootenay members are very anxious to testify before the House Committee on the Scandal. What they don't know is absolutely appalling.

THE CABLE.—The steamer Sir James Douglas, towing the cable scow, started for the break yesterday morning.

"PROSERPINE'S" third assessment of 1¼ cent. per share is delinquent this day.

Notices and Motions that are Interesting to B. C.

In the Ottawa House Mr. DeCosmos moved an address for copies of any order in council, passed in June, 1876, locating the line of the Canada Pacific Railway between Thunder Bay and a point at or near Fort George, in British Columbia, and for other information. Carried.

Mr. Bunster—For copies of all correspondence between the Government of British Columbia and that of the Dominion of Canada on the subject of indemnity to the said Province of British Columbia for delay in the construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway, according to the terms of union.

Hon. Mr. Mackenzie, to move for the reports of Engineers and others made since the 1st of October last respecting the route or construction of any part of the Canadian Pacific Railway; the removal of rails from Vancouver Island to Yale; copies or any instructions issued by the Government relating to the same; petitions or letters addressed to the Government, and all correspondence relating thereto.

Mr. DeCosmos, for a copy of an address to Her Majesty from the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia of September, 1878, praying for separation from Canada in case the Dominion Government failed to carry into effect on or before the first day of May next, the settlement of 1874, respecting the Canada Pacific Railway; and also all letters and telegrams connected with the said address that have passed between the Provincial, Dominion and Imperial Governments.

Mr. DeCosmos—Copy of memorandum of the circumstances which led to the conclusion of the convention between Great Britain and Russia of February, 1825; also copy of the convention, if any, between Great Britain and the United States of February, 1825; also copy of the most reliable maps and charts of the territory of Alaska, including Russian, British and American maps and charts.

Ottawa Parliament.

By the mail received yesterday we observe that the Ottawa Parliament had settled down to hard work. Hon. Mr. Mackenzie leads the Opposition in the Commons. The address was passed without a division in both houses. Senator Cornwall's speech in the Senate was a creditable effort. We give elsewhere notices, etc., that are of interest to this Province. In the House, on the 16th February,

Sir John Macdonald said, in reference to the statement that the present Government were taking the same line as the previous Government on the Pacific Railway, he had only to say that both ends were built (!) There was no choice but to go on with the middle portion in order to get it finished. One end was in a swamp and the other in a wilderness, and there was a middle piece of 185 miles, and until this middle portion was finished there would be no satisfactory connection with the great Northwest. Reference had been made to satisfying the reasonable demands of British Columbia. The late Government had never tried to satisfy any demands of British Columbia, reasonable or unreasonable. (Hear, hear, from Mr. DeCosmos.) The present administration were determined to give due attention to the reasonable demands of the Pacific Province. Some time ago certain Reform journals had stated that he had been elected for Victoria in consideration of having made certain pledges. The facts were that he had wired two or three friends in British Columbia, saying that he had been defeated in Kingston, and asking them to elect him there. The answer came promptly, "It shall be done," and it was done. (Cheers.)

County Court.

[Before Hon. A. F. Pemberton.]

TUESDAY, March 4.

Captain Nagle *vs.* Captain Fawcett of the bark Staghound—An action to recover $5 alleged to be due as harbor dues.

Judgment in favor of the defendant.

W. Selleck *vs.* L. Leotard—A suit brought to recover $15 alleged to have been loaned, &c.

Judgment in favor of the plaintiff with costs.

Wing Fun *vs.* Lip Yuk—An action to recover $111 alleged to be due for goods supplied, &c.

Judgment in favor of the plaintiff for $78.50.

San Francisco Stock Market.

[Exclusive Dispatch to The Colonist.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 1.—Ophir 38¼; Mexican 40; G & C 11; B & B 19⅝; Cala 6; Savage 13½; Con Va 5¾; Chollar 45½; H & N 16; Point 4½; Jacket 17¾; Impl 1.10; Kentuck 5; Alpha 18; Belcher 6⅛; Confidence 13; S Nevada 46; Utah 16; Bullion 4.90; Exchequer 4.95; Overman 11¼; Justice 4.30; Union 75; Alta 5½; Julia 5¼; Caledonia 2.50.

The Tariff.

It seems strange that no information has come to hand concerning an increase in customs duties. Mr. Tilley was to make his budget speech on Friday last, but we believe Hon. Mr. Hamley, Collector for British Columbia, had up to last night received no advices or instructions from Ottawa. The information conveyed in our delayed dispatches concerning tea, etc., may not be reliable.

THE SOCIAL on Broughton street last night was the best. The charming domestic scene in which Miss A. Cameron appeared giving a welcome to her lover, and accepting his offer of marriage was charming. The lover (her brother) kissed her as a brother kisses. Master Teideman and Miss Hutchinson, miniature lovers, talking seriously of domestic duties, kept the audience laughing, and are an inimitable little pair. The house is too small to hold the audiences attracted by the merits of the musicians and the actors in charades. A crowd gathered last night; several persons, including ladies, had to stand and many could not get in. Amusement by the people for themselves deserves commendation and applause. A recitation by Miss A. Cameron attracted much attention. A quartette by Miss McNaughten, Mr. Hyde, Mr. Millar, and Mr. McNaughten was *encored*, and the musicians appeared to most advantage. "God Save the Queen" closed a very delightful evening at home. The band, under the leadership of Mr. C. M. Chambers, was one of the best features.

ANTI-CHINESE.—John's heretofore best friends, the merchants and clergymen, have turned against him. On the 27th February a mass meeting at San Francisco passed resolutions calling on President Hayes to sign the Chinese Bill or resign, and the sentiments of the meeting were re-echoed by Bishop Kip and other representative clergymen.

Senator Carrall Don't Like the Railway Paragraph in the Speech.

Speaking in the Senate on the 16th ult., Senator Carrall said:—With regard to the paragraph relating to the Pacific Railway, I am disappointed. That undertaking was the wedding-ring, so to speak, of our union with Canada—the unification and consolidation of the Dominion. I do think that something might have been devised by the astute leader of the Government, who is equal to any emergency, which would be more satisfactory. Seven years have passed since the Union of British Columbia with the Dominion, some thirteen millions of dollars have slipped through the fingers of the administrators of our public affairs, and yet we have nothing to show except the monuments I have referred to, for that vast expenditure. I propose, at a future period of the session, to deal with this subject, and I merely content myself on this occasion with endorsing the expressions used by the mover of the Address in referring to the clause relating to the construction of the Pacific Railway.

Senator Scott doubted that the expectations of British Columbia would be gratified. He believed from the Speech that the alterations in the tariff would be for revenue purposes.

Senator Carrall regretted that while $13,000,000 had slipped through the fingers of the Government, since British Columbia entered the Union there was nothing to show for it but steel rails.

A Short Sitting.

The sitting of the House yesterday was short. We should blush for the Ministry were we to state the cause. We sincerely hope that a similar reason may not be found in the future to force an adjournment after a sitting of half an hour. *Verb. sap.*

THE steamship City of Chester, from San Francisco on 1st March, arrived in the harbor yesterday afternoon at 3½ o'clock, with passengers, mails and freight. Severe gales were experienced the entire passage.

LOST.—The suit of Peers *vs.* Diggle at San Francisco lasted five days and was decided in favor of the defendant. Damages were laid at $50,000.

POLICE.—A drunk and disorderly was fined the usual five shillings or six hours' imprisonment.

WEEKLY COLONIST.—The edition for the week ending to-day is now on sale at the bookstores and publication office.

THE steamship Alaska, under command of Capt. Seabury, has sailed for China.

Canadian Mail.

MONTREAL, Feb. 22.—Five thousand dollars more was asked by the Montreal Road Committee yesterday to remove the snow from the streets, being $15,000 so far. The snow fall at Montreal has been unprecedented.

Large quantities of bonded goods are being withdrawn at Montreal in anticipation of the increase in tariff. The daily average amount of Customs duty lately collected has been about $25,000. On Thursday it reached the enormous amount of $113,343.

It is said that Lord Dufferin has telegraphed to Ottawa for the sleighs and other trappings remaining unsold at the sale of his effects last summer, to be forwarded to St. Petersburg at once.

OTTAWA, Feb. 22.—Already 451 gentlemen and 421 ladies have accepted the invitation to attend the proposed ball at Rideau Hall on the 19th inst.

MONTREAL, Feb. 27.—A petition to Parliament, praying that no duty be imposed on American grain imported into the Dominion, is being extensively signed here by shippers of grain, inland and ocean carriers, and dealers, as they maintain the export trade of this city would be seriously interfered with, as well as trade generally.

OTTAWA, Feb. 28.—The duties on tea and molasses have been reduced, and the Finance Minister says that if the finances would permit tea and coffee will be placed on the free list to encourage trade with Japan. The duty on tea will be made ad valorem.

The House of Commons, after discussion, voted down a resolution declaring the necessity of a strict and uniform observance of the Lord's day in all the departments of the public service, and that all postmasters be permitted to close their offices during the whole of Sabbath day.

HALIFAX, Feb. 28. — Advices have been received here that the British steamer Aberfeldy has been abandoned at sea. The crew were saved.

MONTREAL, Feb. 28.—At a special meeting of members of the Montreal Corn Exchange to-day a resolution was passed by a large majority, protesting against the contemplated protective duty on breadstuffs, and expressing an earnest hope that United States grain be admitted free as heretofore.

A run commenced on Monday on he New Orleans (?) Savings Institution, since which time half a million of dollars have been paid out. To-day the managers decided to pay 15 per cent. cash to depositors, and the balance after the ninety days' notice allowed by the charter. The officers report the Bank solvent. The January statement showed deposits aggregating $2,050,000. It is stated that the run was caused by rumors set afloat that the institution was heavily loaded with State bonds, which recently depreciated 25 per cent.

MUSICAL INSTRUCTION—MRS. Thos. Sidney Wilson wishes to inform those who are desirous of the above that she continues to give lessons at her residence on Frederick street daiiy after 3 p.m. till 9 p.m., Saturdays excepted, when Mrs. W. can give lessons any hour after 9 a.m. Part of the time devoted to vocal instruction if desired. For terms apply at her residence on Frederick street, near St. Louis' College. Mr. T. S. Wilson gives instructions on the violin. *

New Job Type

Of the latest styles received ex City of Chester at *The Colonist* Book and Job Printing office, Government street. *

R. C. CRIDGE, Land Surveyor, etc., Bastion street. Plans and estimates prepared. Drainage works undertaken. *

OPENING OF THE OTTAWA PARLIAMENT.

A BRILLIANT SCENE.

WHAT THE PRINCESS WORE.

(Cor. Toronto Mail.)

OTTAWA, Feb. 14.—Parliament was formally opened this afternoon with the usual ceremonial solemnities. Not for many years had so much interest been taken in the proceedings. Members and Senators have come earlier this year than ever before. From two o'clock the usual crowds began to gather before the building, in the lobbies, in the corridors, and at every available space. There were crowds on the streets and at the corners; and all Ottawa had, in a measure, "culled out a holiday." There is a rustling of dresses and a stretching of necks and a general coming to "'tention." There is a jingle of sleigh-bells in the new silence. They're coming! Then there is clash of arms—that's the salute of the guard of honor. Then there is a crash of music. That's "God Save the Queen"—the Queen of these realms, who daughter and whose personal representative is coming. Then there is the booming of cannon—the sound of which goes round the world, according to Daniel Webster, and which has been heard under nearly all skies, and in most lands in the world. Then there flashes in through the corridors the royal parties and the staff, his Excellency and Her Royal Highness, are attended by the members of the household.

THE SCENE IN THE SENATE CHAMBER.

The Senate Chamber is brilliant to behold. The walls are newly ornamented in gayer colors than before, about the judiciousness of which there is the usual variety of opinion. But what are walls in the presence of so much beauty as is here. In the galleries and on the floors the fashion and beauty of Ottawa, and of a good many other places as well, are gathered. The Princess Louise wore a black satin, princess train, low necked, studded with diamonds; a tiara of diamonds on the hair, and diamond necklace. Lady McNamara, a black satin princess train, low necked, with jet trimmings, diamonds, and velvet ostrich feather in hair. Mrs. DeWinton, a black grosgrain silk, princess train, trimmed with satin, coronet of diamonds on the head, and diamond necklace. Lady Macdonald, black silk velvet, princess train, blue feathers in hair. Mrs. W. G. Perley, pale blue brocade, princess dress handsomely trimmed with point lace, diamond ornaments. Mrs. S. L. Tilley, black silk velvet train over silk skirt, lace trimmings. Mrs. Morgan, light green silk, trimmed in dark green velvet and embroidered. Mrs. Tupper, velvet train, Honiton lace trimmings. Mrs. Ritchie, claret-colored velvet train over satin skirt with lace trimmings. Miss Ritchie, pink silk princess train, lace trimmings. Mrs. Burpee, navy blue velvet train, lace trimmings, tulle veil and feather in hair. Mrs. Sandford Fleming, black velvet princess train, trimmed with point lace and cardinal and pale blue ribbons. Miss Fleming, pale blue silk trimmed with white and blue flowers.

The gentleman Usher, M. Kimber, then makes his appearance, and summons the Commons to the Senate Chambers. The Speaker moves out with dignity, followed by the members. The members go in the usual tumultuous crowd. That is to show their independence. The very rich men wear old clothes. The poor ones dress most elegantly. That shows how much better it is to be poor than rich. His Excellency and her Royal Highness receive them, both on the dias together. The scene is a beautiful one. Their Excellencies are, as it were,

Ringed round with a flame of fair faces,
And splendid with swords.

When the Commons came to enter the Senate Chamber, it was found impossible to get them all into it, so great had been the demand by the public for seats to witness the sight. The galleries were packed as they were never packed before. Members get upon the side benches of the Senate, and when the Speech was half-way through down came some benches with a crash. One lady fainted in the gallery during the delivery of his Excellency's Address. The two sides of the floor of the Senate were packed five deep with ladies in beautiful costumes, the cynosure of Commoners' eyes; and long after the close of the proceedings, the floor was still bright with ladies and gay with talk and laughter. Sir John Macdonald, Dr. Tupper, Messrs. Langevin, Baby and Macdonald (Minister of Justice), all wore the Windsor costumes. Mr. Mackenzie wore his ordinary attire on the occasion. Mr. Cartwright wore a smile of derision, but it was considered a court costume.

THE END OT THE PLAY,

The play is done, the curtain drops,
Slow falling to the prompters' bell.

After his Excellency's speech was delivered, the Speaker of the Commons is handed the documents and making his bow, he retires with stately step. His Commoners go with him in a mob, as usual. His Excellency and her Royal Highness rise. There is a fresh rustle of silks, a faint whiff of perfume in the air.

Like puff on puff of powdered orris root,
When ladies crowd to church in midsummer.

The Royal party depart in stately silence. The brilliant gathering of ladies dissolves from view. The galleries begin to move downwards. There is a fresh shouldering of arms, a new crashing of music, a louder booming of cannon, a jingle of sleigh-bells, and all is over. Parliament is open. Work has begun.

GREAT BARGAINS still left in Ladies' Cloth Jackets, Ulsters, Skirts, Girls' Costumes, etc., etc., at J. York's, Fort St. *

IF heretofore you have been unable to wear a set of artificial teeth call on Dr Cool. He will guarantee all his work *

The "Mail" on the Pacific Railway.

"The topic (in the Speech) which is most interesting, from a financial point of view, is that of the Pacific railway. On that topic much has been said, and more has been written. Since 1873 the plan of building the railway has been a point of contention between parties. Five years ago Mr. Mackenzie took power with the duty and the promise of faithfully carrying out the scheme. He announced a policy of his own. It was a new and, of course, very superior article; but somehow five years have elapsed, and Mr. Mackenzie's policy has not been carried out. British Columbia has become discontented, if not disaffected, on account of the manifest neglect of public duty by the late Ministry. The arbitration of Lord Carnarvon was scorned and its fulfilment prevented even by the Ministry that should have felt bound to carry it out. The original policy of Mr. Mackenzie was abandoned, and in the effort to arrive at some *via media* the inexperienced and pretentious gentleman who had in a moment of vanity taken the position of Minister of Public Works found himself floundering in a very morass of difficulties of his own creating. His unfortunate investment, without requisition from his engineers, in a great difficulty of steel rails not needed then and not needed now, nor at any time during Mr. Mackenzie's *regime*, was a conspicuous evidence of the unpracticed, unbusiness-like and unwise policy of the late Minister. The present Government announce that they will endeavor to fill the reasonable expectations of British Columbia. It is needless to add that it will be only possible to carry out this policy within the limits of the public resources; but already the Government have shown a disposition to push forward with all reasonable speed such work on the Pacific railway as it has been possible to arrange for in the limited time, and with the necessarily limited information at their disposal. On the carrying out of this great public work depends largely the value of our western acquisitions. It is a matter for regret that so long a delay has taken place in opening them up. It is a matter for congratulation that there is a public promise of a new and vigorous policy of railway extension westward into those regions where population most tends to flow."

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AUCTION SALES.

Crockery Sale.

Friday, 7th March, 1879,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

— Crates Cups and Saucers, Soup, Dinner and Breakfast Plates, Sugars, Ewers and Basins, Oval Dishes, Vegetable Dishes, etc., etc.

—ALSO—

Assorted Size Hose Nozzles
Fancy Clocks,
Concertinas and Accordeons,
Kaleidescopes,
Leather Back Horse Brushes,
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China Plates and Sets,
Ruby Decanters and Glasses,
Plain, Cut, Chased and Engraved Decanters,
Assorted Toilet Sets,
Bar Bottles, Plain and Engraved,
Pickle Stands,
Walnut Framed Statuary Groups of Celebrated Subjects,
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CHINA MATTING,
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ALSO—Two Cooking Stoves, etc.

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CLOTHING & DRY GOODS,

—ON—

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AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

By order of

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We will sell at salesroom, Wharf St.,

A FULL LINE OF

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REMOVAL.

MR. MATTHEWS WILL ESTABLISH A TEMporary office in the back part of Mr. Charles Morton's office, Langley's new building, Langley St. Office hours from ten to one o'clock. fe13

AUCTION SALES.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 & AMENDING ACTS.

IN THE MATTER OF THOMAS NICHOLAS, AN INSOLVENT.

The undersigned have received instructions from C. T. Dupont, Esq., Official Assignee, to sell by Public Auction, at their Salesrooms, Victoria, on

Saturday, 8th March, 1879,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

The equity of redemption of the abovementioned Insolvent in the undermentioned Real and Personal Property mortgaged to R. D. Chandler.

REAL ESTATE.

Section 19, Range 3, Mountain Dist., V.I.
" 19, " 4, " " "
" 18, " 4, " " "
" 17, " 5, " " "
" 18, " 5, " " "
" 19, " 5, " " "

PERSONAL ESTATE.

Railroad Bed Bridges, ties for railroad from South Wellington Mine to the wharf of South Wellington Colliery at Departure Bay.

12,000 yards railroad iron, of 35 lbs per yard; 2,500 yards railroad iron, at 18lbs per yard; 4 switches for railroad iron of 35lbs per yard; 4 switches for railroad iron of 20 lbs per yard; fish plates, bolts and spikes for the above iron; 20 railroad cars complete; 1 ten ton Fairbanks scale; wharves and coal bunkers at Departure Bay; 1 lowering apparatus at Departure Bay incline; 2 wire ropes, one for incline at Departure Bay and one for incline at South Wellington Mine. Also pulleys and fixtures on both inclines; one 12-ton Baldwin locomotive; 3 feet drivers; 1 portable double engine with two six inch diameter cylinders and boiler complete; 1 large double hoisting engine, two 14 inch cylinders 4½ feet stroke, with hoisting gear and disconnecting clutches, complete, for incline and hoisting shaft; hoisting frame with pulleys and fixtures for same; 2 large boilers and fittings for same.

At South Wellington Mine—One 4½ Blake donkey pump and connections for said boilers: also, 1 double acting Stoddart pump fitted with 17 inches diameter steam cylinder and 10 inch plungers, with all connections for steam exhaust, suction and discharge water pipes; also, a lot of light service rails, at Mine; mine-cars; blacksmith and carpenter's shops.

ALSO—The equitable interest of the said insolvent in the right of way from the said lands to the shore of Departure Bay, together with a Block of Land containing about two acres, and the wharves thereon at the end of the said right of way at said Bay.

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Victoria, Jan. 30, 1879. ja31

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NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of Robert Ker, deceased.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED TO THE above estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith, and all persons who have any claims against the above estate are required to send in their accounts on or before the 17th day of May next to the undersigned.

JOHN GRAHAM, }
HENRY S. MASON, } Executors.
Dated Victoria, 17th Feb. 1879. fe18

A CARD.

CERTAIN PARTIES IN THIS CITY ARE CIRCULATING RUMORS THAT HEYWOOD'S HAMS AND BACON ARE A DAMAGED AND INFERIOR ARTICLE AND A FRAUD ON THE PUBLIC. NOW, I WISH TO INFORM THE SAID PARTIES AND THE PUBLIC IN GENERAL THAT I DEFY COMPETITION IN PRICE AND QUALITY. I GUARANTEE MY GOODS SUPERIOR TO ANYTHING OFFERED IN THIS MARKET AND NOT SURPASSED IN THE WORLD. IT MUST BE REMEMBERED THAT WHEN AN IMPORTED HAM IS PURCHASED (THE 4-AGE ESPECIALLY) YOU PAY FOR FIVE POUNDS OF RAGS AND PAPER, A DESCRIPTION OF FOOD THAT IS VERY HARD TO DIGEST.

J. HEYWOOD.
Feb. 26th, 1879. fe27 1m

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STOCKS AND MINES.

ENTERPRISE GOLD AND SILVER MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

NOTICE.

THERE IS DELINQUENT UPON THE FOLLOWing described stock on account of Assessments Nos. 2 and 3, levied November 20th, 1878, and January 10th, the several amounts set opposite the name of the respective shareholders, as follows:—

Name.	No. of Certificate.	No. of Shares.	Amount.
J. McB. Smith	149 & 50	100	$ 20 00
F. Reynolds	758	100	20 00
G. Hargreaves	655-7	266	53 20
W. Forrest	572 & 673	266	53 20
T. R. Patullo	576	533	106 60
W. L. Jones	561-5	283	56 60
J. F. Hawkes	446-52	420	42 00
P. C. Dunlevy	457-62	332	33 20
R. B. McMicking	654	666	133 20
James Stone	770	66	13 20
D. D. Dehag	529	33	6 60
M. Haggerty	751	33	3 30
G. C. Tunstall	557-8	67	13 40
J. Henderson	569	66	13 20
P. C. O'Neil	570	133	26 60
D. Pratt	574	133	26 60
H. Woodcock	579-80	133	26 60
Emily Bowron	639	133	26 60
A. McPhail	628	66	13 20
J. Fleming	629	66	13 20
D Lindsay	734	66	13 20
T. A. McMicking	733	67	6 70
Chas. Morton	559	66	13 20
Jos. Mason	723-32	466	46 60
S. Walker	680	1000	100 00
Wm. Teague	528	266	26 60
G. Cowan	703	533	53 30
C. W. Dixon	530	13	1 30
Henry Rhodes	715	133	13 30
A. Lindsay	589	133	13 30
A. L. Goodenow	575	133	13 30
J. Chipp	583-635	132	13 20
A. W. Jones	705-9	266	26 60
H. Featherstone	741	33	3 30
Douglas & Deighton	431	53	5 30
D. McDonald	525	133	13 30
J. Craig	566	100	20 00
W. D. Moses	584	66	13 20
W. Sheridan	630	66	6 60
W.A. Johnston	624-7	200	20 00
do	710	35	3 50
do	621	100	10 00
J. Williams	701	66	6 60
R. T. Ward	755	133	13 30
J. Polmere	655-9	266	26 60
J. Boyd	767	266	26 60
J. Davies	760	400	80 00

And in accordance with law, so many shares of each parcel of said stock as may be necessary will be sold at the Company's office, Victoria, B. C., on the 31st day of March, 1879, at the hour of 12 noon of said day to pay said delinquent assessments thereon, together with cost of advertising and expenses of the sale.

fe21dw D. GUTMANN, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE
ENTERPRISE GOLD AND SILVER MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

VICTORIA, B. C., February 19th, 1879.

THE FOURTH CALL OF TWENTY CENTS PER Share on the Capital Stock of the above Company, levied February 13th, and payable to the Secretary at the Company's office, Wharf street, will be delinquent March 20th.

By order of the Directors.

fe20 D. GUTMANN, Secretary.

PROSERPINE GOLD & SILVER MINING CO. (LIMITED)

Location of Works, Wilkinson Lode, Cariboo.

A GENERAL MEETING OF THIS COMPANY will be held at the company's office at Barkerville, B. C., on Thursday the 6th day of March, 1879, for the election of Trustees and the transaction of any other business that may be brought before it.

By order.

CHARLES WILSON, Secretary.

Barkerville, B.C., Jan. 26th, 1879. fe15dw

PROSERPINE GOLD & SILVER MINING CO. (LIMITED)

Location of Works, Wilkinson Lode, Cariboo, B.C.

ASSESSMENT No. 3.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AT A meeting of the Trustees of said Company held on the 1st day of February, 1879, an assessment of One and one-quarter of a cent per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable on the 4th day of February, 1879, to Charles Wilson, at the company's office, Barkerville, B. C. Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on the Fifth day of March, 1879, shall be deemed delinquent, and will be duly advertised for sale at Public Auction and, unless payment be made before, will be sold on the 4th day of April 1879, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

CHARLES WILSON, Secretary.

Barkerville, B. C. fe15dw

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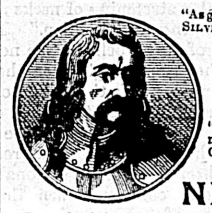

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MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, United Kingdom Europe and U. S., *via* San Francisco.	About the 3d, 13th and 23d of each month.	On the 10th, 20th and 30th each month at 10.30 A. M.
Do. *via* Port Townsend..	Mondays and Thursdays at 4:30 P. M.	Wednesdays and Sundays at 6 P.M.
Australia, New Zealand, Sandwich Islands and Fiji Islands.	Once a month at irregular date.....	On the 10th of February and 10th of March.
India, China and Japan.	do do	On 20th day of each month.
Mexico, Central America, and South Pacific coast	do do	On the 10th & 30th days of each month.
New Westminster and Burrard Inlet.	Wednesdays and Saturdays at 3 P.M.	Mondays and Thursdays at 6 P. M.
Barkerville, and Intermediate offices.	Wednesday at 3 P.M.....	Monday at 6 P. M.
Nanaimo, Wellington and offices on East Coast.	Thursdays and every alternate Saturday at 5 P.M..	Mondays and every alternate Thursday at 6 P. M.
Comox and East Coast offices.	Every alternate Friday at 5 P.M.	Every alternate Monday at 6 P.M.
Esquimalt.....	Daily at 10 A.M. and 2 P.M.	Daily at 11.30 A.M. and 4.30 P.M.
Metchosin.....	Monday at 1 P.M.....	Tuesday at 10 A.M.
Saanich.....	Wednesday at 9 A.M.....	Wednesday at 12 noon.
Sooke.....	Monday at 3 P.M.....	Tuesday at 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS

Payable at Money Order Offices throughout the Dominion, United Kingdom, Newfoundland and the United States, and at the offices at Barkerville, Clinton, Granville, Nanaimo, New Westminster, Quesnelle, Soda Creek, Spence's Bridge, Sumas and Yale, can be obtained at this office.

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POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st April, 1879. au14

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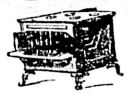

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D. 251, dated Jan. 20th, at 30 days, favor A. C. Fraser, $150.

D. 252, dated Jan. 20th, at 30 days, favor A. C. Fraser, $150.

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Insolvent Act of 1875 and Amending Acts.

In the matter of J. L. JUNGERMAN, an Insolvent.

A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT HAS BEEN ISSUed in this cause, and the creditors are notified to meet at my Office, Wharf Street, in Victoria, on Wednesday, the 5th day of March next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to receive statements of his affairs, and to appoint an Assignee if they see fit.

C. T. DUPONT,
Official Assignee.
Victoria, Feb. 21st, 1879. fe27

NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THE LATE J. GORDON Vinter are to be sent in to the undersigned before the 30th of March next.

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